

Type a plus sign (+) inside this box

PTO/SB/08A (10-96)

Approved for use through 10/31/99. OMB 0651-0031

Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO  
(Modified by BSTZ 6/30/99)**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE  
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**

(use as many sheets as necessary)

Complete if Known

Application Number Unassigned

Filing Date January 5, 2000

First Named Inventor Eugene M. Pester III

Group Art Unit Unassigned

Examiner Name Unassigned

Attorney Docket Number 023341.P002

J:584 U.S. PTO  
09/478076  
01/05/00**U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

Examiner Initials *	U.S. Patent Document		Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Date of Publication of Cited Document MM-DD-YYYY	Filing Date if Appropriate
	Number				
32	5,787,164		Haines et al.	7-28-1998	

**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

Examiner Initials *	Foreign Patent Document			Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Date of Publication of Cited Document MM-DD-YYYY	Translation? Yes/No
	Office or Country	Number	Date			

**OTHER DOCUMENTS**

Examiner Initials *	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published (if known).	Translation? Yes/No

Examiner  
SignatureDate  
Considered

11/02/02

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.